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Concealment of AR-EL-01 at Shengeldy Radcom Receiver Station, USSR (S)

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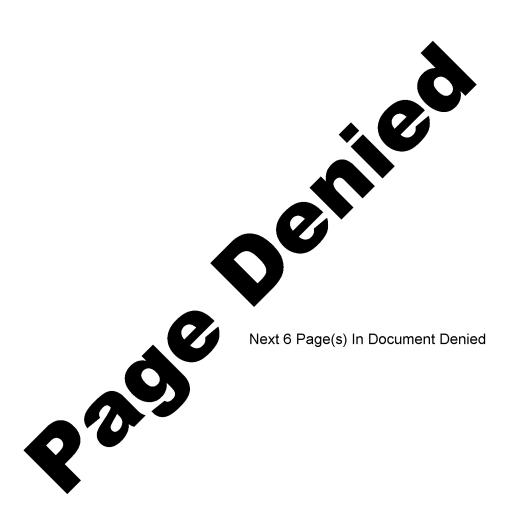
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• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	OF AR-EL-01 AT SHENGELDY EIVER STATION, USSR (S)	RADCOM	
1. (S/D) A large-scale concea EL-01 electronics van truck-equipp geldy Radio Communications (Rad Military District, USSR, was conduc	alment and communications intercepted communications intelligence (codeom) Receiver Station (code during August 1980.	omint) regiment from Shen- in the Central Asian	25X1
2. (S/D) This AR-EL-01-equi geldy Radcom Receiver Station. I (Figure 1), a signal intelligence briga	pped comint regiment was identified In addition to the 17 AR-EL-01 s de is at this facility.	in February 1979 at Shenets of the comint regiment	
support van trucks had relocated), 11 of the AR-EL-01 and dual-ax to the west side of the installation which were in the process of being ra	immediately adjacent to the	
4. (S/D) During the been laid over the razed obstacle ce the prepared asphalt surface. A tau	timeframe, a courses. The AR-EL-01 sets were the at camouflage netting framework wa	an asphalt parking area had on moved in increments onto s then erected over the AR-	25 X 1
EL-01 sets. The combination of the	he dark-toned AR-EL-01 vehicles, t	he asphalt background, and	25 X 1
mately 9 nautical miles northeast determine that the concealed AR-	so revealed that a large-scale exerged of the installation. Stereoscopic in EL-01 vehicles were no longer under the deployment area (Figures 6 and	magery made it possible to er the camouflage netting in	
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deployment of the AR-EL-01 sets increased readiness or deployment second phase consisted of an ou camouflaged, probably simulating time conditions. During October a	robably conducted in two phases. To a concealed area within the factor a rear area comint facility durt-of-garrison deployment where the a communications intercept site in and November 1980, a vehicle shed nt/comint exercise began. It is now ent.	cility, representing a state of ing wartime conditions. The vehicles were revetted and a forward area during warhad been constructed within	
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